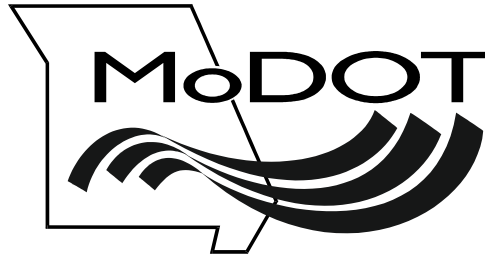


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May 3, 2004

Dear Consultant:

The Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission is requesting the services of a consulting engineering firm to perform the described professional services for the project included on the attached list.

If your firm would like to be considered for these consulting services, you may express your interest by responding to the appropriate office, which is also indicated on the attachments. Please limit your letter of interest to no more than two pages. This letter should include a statement to indicate why your firm is interested in the project(s). It should also include any other information which might help us in the selection process, such as the persons or team you would assign to each project, the backgrounds of those persons, and other projects your company has recently completed or is now doing. We will utilize the consultant information already on file so we will not need a lengthy submittal of other general company information.

DBE firms must be certified by the Missouri Department of Transportation in order to be counted as participation towards an established DBE Goal. We encourage DBE firms to submit letters of interest as prime consultants for any projects they feel can be managed by their firm.

We request all letters be received by 4:00pm, May 17, 2004 at the appropriate office.

Sincerely,

Dave Nichols
Director of Project Development

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Attachment

Copies: Ed Hassinger-d6
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1. District 6

St. Louis City & County, Route I-44	
Job No:	J6I1832
Location:	I-44 from downtown St. Louis to Six Flags Exit in St. Louis County
Proposed Improvement:	Install Intelligence Transportation System (ITS) field devices and communication system
Length:	32 miles
Approximate Construction Cost:	\$7 million (incl. non-contractual costs)
Consultant Services Required:	Preliminary & Final Plans
Other Comments:	Only firms with extensive ITS experience will be considered for this contract.

2. District 8

Stone County, Route 13	
Job No:	J8P0595B
Location:	From 1.26 miles south of Rte. 76 south junction to Kimberling City bridge.
Proposed Improvement:	Grading, paving and widen to 5 lanes with raised median and left turn lanes
Length:	5.2 miles
Approximate Construction Cost:	\$29 million
Consultant Services Required:	Preliminary Plans
Other Comments:	The consultant will need to develop a scoping plan for this project including consideration of realignment. MoDOT reserves the right to execute a supplemental agreement to extend the requested services through development of final construction plans. A DBE goal may be established for this project. In your letter of interest explain how you will address a DBE goal if one should be established.

3. District 8

Christian County, Route 14	
Job No:	J8P0588
Location:	From Nixa to Ozark
Proposed Improvement:	Grading, widening, resurfacing and minor realignment
Length:	4.3 miles
Approximate Construction Cost:	\$30 million
Consultant Services Required:	Preliminary Plans
Other Comments:	The consultant will need to develop a scoping plan for this project including consideration of realignment. MoDOT reserves the right to execute a supplemental agreement to extend the requested services through development of final construction plans. A DBE goal may be established for this project. In your letter of interest explain how you will address a DBE goal if one should be established.